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In re Application of	:	
Porter Mitchell, et al.	:	
Application No. 10/817,314	:	DECISION ON REQUEST
Filed: April 2, 2004	:	TO WITHDRAW
Attorney Docket No. M109US-GENSA	:	FROM RECORD

This is a decision on the Request to Withdraw as attorney or agent of record under 37 CFR §1.36(b), filed January 5, 2006.

The request is **NOT APPROVED** as moot.

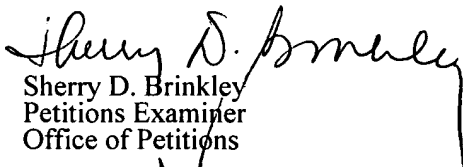
A review of the file record indicates that the power of attorney to Gregory J. Koerner and all the other attorneys/agents of record was revoked by the assignee of the patent application on January 6, 2006. Accordingly, the request to withdraw under 37 CFR §1.36(b) is moot.

It is noted that a revocation and power of attorney was subsequently filed on January 25, 2006. However, the revocation and power of attorney is not acceptable since it is signed by one of the four joint inventors.

All future communications from the Office will continue to be directed to the below-listed address until otherwise notified by applicant.

There is an outstanding Office action mailed May 5, 2006 that requires a reply from the applicant.

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